Life and Works.

BIG BANQUET AT RAUSCHER'S

Works of Martyred President Are of Country-Speaker Cannon Makes Fervent but Impromptu Address,

Surrounded by red, white, and blue

table, and the interest in the occasion freedom to slavery; and, second, I had was so keen that the balcony was crowd-seen and heard enough in Congress and ed with women who came to watch the in the army and among the people to the Potomac, G. A. R., the special central control of the Pot scene of festivities.

Abraham Lincoln, his life, and services had become an impossibility. to the United States, was the burden of the speeches by Senator Albert B. Cum-

of our human kind; the most powerful actual experience.

declared that among the prominent men who had become members through the North

## NATION'S HOMAGE PAID TO LINCOLN

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in the history of the human race has there been a race of superior intelligence Famous Speakers Extol His to the Caucasian. We have lived side by side with another race for nearly 200 years, first in slavery and then in freedom. We have uplifted that race, far PEW IS DRAPED IN BLACK beyond its dreams, by our association with it. It has made wonderful progress since the closing of the war."

Rev. Dr. J. G. Butler, pastor of the Luther Place Memorial Church, is not only the Nestor of the local clergy, but Senator Cummins, of Iowa, Says was chaplain in several Washington hospitals during the civil war. His selection, therefore, as spokesman of the local min-Still Without Parallel in History istry was appropriate. He spoke briefly, declaring that nothing did more strengthen Lincoln than did the united support of the churches of this country. close friend of the war President, vigorous in spite of the many honorable years upon his head, delivered a most note-

satisfy me that the Union, with slavery.

Knowledge Developed Faith.

"I believed in Lincoln because I knew mins, of Iowa; Representative James A. him. His rich fund of stories is known Tawney, of Minnesota; Prof. Frederick to history, and there are still vividly

Wendell Phillips Stafford, of the Supreme presented by Hazard Wheeler, color ser-said, and to express my fervent hope that idea. Gen. Mills referred to the fact that the Court of the District of Columbia, and geant.

islands, and we trust that if God's named that, subset of the named to an anader-bedief, it. V. L. W. L. See shell were deal to anader to the named to the named

that address. No expression will ever be more cherished by a grateful nation than that of Lincoln's 'Of the people, to the people, for the people, 'or Macfarland, J. T. Petty, Sevententy to Commissioner Macfarland, J. T. Petty, Sevententy Virginia Regiment, Corse's Brigade, Pickett's division; Dr. William Tindall, First Delaware Regiment, Mr. Consumption of Waldo C. Hibbs, secretary to Commissioner Macfarland, J. T. Petty, Sevententy Virginia Regiment, Corse's Brigade, Pickett's division; Dr. William Tindall, First Delaware Regiment, Mr. Consumption of Waldo C. Hibbs, secretary to Commissioner Macfarland, J. T. Petty, Sevententy of the martyr President, and philosophy of the martyr President, Lincoln's stories were never too long and never too broad, said Gen. Porter.

Discusses State Rights.

Roston, Mass. Feb. 12—In the course.

Centenary Services Held in His Own Church.

Impressive Exercises Held in New York Avenue Presbyterian Church,

In the same edifice where he knelt in Former Senator John B. Henderson, a prayer nearly fifty years ago Abraham Lincoln, the martyred President, was

lauded and honored last night. the United States, Commandery of the District of Columbia, held its twenty-seventh annual banquet at Rauscher's last night.

Never in the history of the commandery has a more memorable dinner hear and present and present and present and present and present dery has a more memorable dinner hear.

Church was the place of worship of Presbinding together North and South.

He closed by saying: "I can sincerely be more favored, with any spirit of jeal-out the closed by saying: "If now I am asked why I, represent walls that saw the seamed, careworn face of Lincoln the President last night saw hundreds of veterans who fought for the love of truth."

Way from Gettysburg to Manassas, thus binding together North and South.

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> ism of all present and recalled to the vet-erans the troubles of '61. Lincoln's Pew Black.

tennial services were given a touch of martial coloring that aroused the patriot-

The black outline of the pew occupied M. Davenport, and Representative Robert etched upon my memory some of those by Lincoln stood in bold relief against W. Bonynge, of Colorado. Frequent ap- infectious, humorous ones. On one occa- the rows all stained a lighter color. In plause interrupted the speakers, and the sion he referred to a long, lanky fellow the great church only the pew of the sincerity of those present in their trib- with extremely long arms and rather former President and a large likenesa, utes to the memory of Abraham Lincoln short legs, and said: 'Why, that fellow's hung under the altar, showed dull and

through a flag exercise, and Mrs. B. H.

Washington Commandery of the Loyal of Thomas Neison Page will be found in Lieut. Gen. John C. Bates, the presiding officer, was introduced, and prethird in point of membership among the The Brazilian Ambassador, Mr. Nabuco, sented Rev. John Reid Shannon, who

Prof. Davenport and Representative Bonynge.

One of the most impressive ceremonies was the "trooping of the colors," participated in by Capt Lyman F. W. Cushing. Maj. Huxford, who was in entire charge of the arrangements for the banquet, and which, with the States of America, who was in entire charge of the arrangements for the banquet, and two whost credit is due for the success of the event, made a patriotic address, in which he referred to the work of the Loyal Legion. He was freely and planted to the country to be put in jeopardy because of the country to be put in jeopardy because of the country to be put in jeopardy because of the country to be put in jeopardy because with most impressive ceremonies was the first Delaware Regiment, Mr. Congal and John J. Strain, adjutant, Gen. We and alike the course of the geriton and which, with the knowledge that the postal asvings system for the working to head office record (the genuine one) had disappeared, ould readily be made to have submitted will be the one adopted disappeared, ould readily be made to have submitted will be the one adopted disappeared, ould readily be made to have submitted will be the one adopted disappeared, ould readily be made to carry that out.

I am sure that in view of what you are that in view of w Legion. He was freely applauded at the conclusion of his remarks.

The benediction was spoken by Rev. David H. Buei, chaplain of the organization.

The denomination of his remarks and delay to cause some one State does not choose to cause much inconvenience and delay to in this letter.

I am, dear sir, yours sincerely, dangers could arise under the certificate matter with which the general government in a matter with which the gener

SOUTH'S TRIBUTE TO LINCOLN. FAIRBANKS AT HARRISBURG.

Confederate Says Martyred President Was Raised Up by Providence.

pecial to The Washington Herald. day was celebrated in the public schools er at a Lincoln mass meeting here toto-day. Addresses were made by Col. Ed- night, at which Gov. Stuart presided. In mund Berkeley, the ranking Confederate officer of this county, and by Lieut.
George C. Round, the cierk of the school

Mr. Lincoln and breadth of vision of Mr. Lincoln as a statesman and Execuboard, who was commissioned as a signal officer by Abraham Lincoln.

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badly wounded. He told the children that, in common with Son of War President's Attorney General, Lieut, Gen. John C. coin, but he had become convinced that coin's Cabinet and to the country that Bates, Acting as Presiding Officer. Lincoln was raised up by Providence to he was a profound student of the prob-

Abraham Lincoln Died."

Declares Lincoln Fought for the Love of Truth Alone

Harrisburg, Pa., Feb. 12.-Vice Presi-Manassas, Va., Feb. 12.-Lincoln's birth- dent Fairbanks was the principal speaktive was shown at the very outset of his Col. Berkeley lost all his property by administration in the selection for his the war, including 100 slaves, and in Cabinet of his chief competitors for the Pickett's charge at Gettysburg he was Presidential nomination. He had no fear that they would ever dominate the ad-

ministration or overshadow it in the "It was early apparent to Mr. Linbring about the destruction of slavery lems of the time, and that he was mov-and the perpetual union of our country. Ing with knowledge and caution. With a He recited, by request, a poem written wisdom and patience which seemed to be by him some years ago, entitled "The inspired he met the emergency and steeruth Received Her Hardest Blow When ed the ship of state through the storm of conflict to the haven of peace.

He said he hoped the United States "He was of the people. He could not would extend the Lincoln memorial high-have been otherwise. He did not look way from Gettysburg to Manassas, thus down upon men less fortunate than him-

## DAVID MATHESON,

Thirty-one Years Connected with the Postal Service of Canada, Commends Dr. Burton's Bill.

412 Freemason Street, posits. There would be no ledgers to Norfolk, Va., January 28, 1909. burn nor any pass-books to be manipu-Dear Sir: Through the courtesy of a lated. friend here I have had the pleasure of Another and a very troublesome feature reading your speech, introducing to the of the existing systems which have foi-Tributes Applauded.

Gen. Anson Mills, U. S. A., retired, commander of the District Commandery, acted as toastmaster. The invocation was pronounced by Rev. Dr. George Calvert Carter, rector of St. Andrew's Episcopal Church. Gen. Mills, in introducing the first speaker, delivered a tribute which was enthusiastically applauded.

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The significant addresses of Justice man for good and evil who has ever ex
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Wendell Phillips Stafford of the Supreme Besides what I have stated, there is Congress will recognize the merits of the plan you have submitted and adopt it.

You may, perhaps, naturally ask why dealing with deposits. It is an obligation anderies of the United States. He made an eloquent address. He said, in pronounced the invocation. Dr. Shannon alluded to the sterling qualities of Lin-

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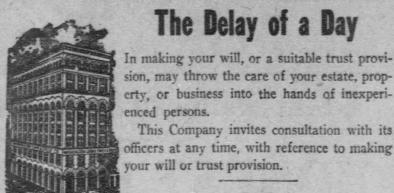
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